## **IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 13 and 19 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend claims 8 and 14 as follows:

## **LISTING OF CURRENT CLAIMS**

Claims 1-7. (Canceled)

Claim 8. (Currently Amended) A toy pet box comprising:

a) a pen;

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- b) a body connected to a top of the pen and having:
  - i) an enclosed transparent outer shell;
  - ii) a hollow interior for holding water;
  - iii) a water inlet located on an outer surface of the transparent shell and communicating with the hollow interior; and
  - iv) a sealing cap removably connected to and sealing the water inlet;
- c) at least one expandable toy located in the hollow interior and expandable therein from an original size to an expanded size when water is placed in the hollow interior: interior; and
- d) at least one ornament connected to and protruding upwardly from an interior surface of a bottom of the body, the at least one ornament being spaced apart from side surfaces of the body.
  - Claim 9. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 8, wherein each of the at least one expandable toy is connected to a surface of the hollow interior of the body.
  - Claim 10. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 8, wherein each of the at least one expandable toy is detached from surfaces of the hollow interior of the body.

Claim 11. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 8, wherein each of the at least one expandable toy includes a weight located at a predetermined location.

Claim 12. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 8, further comprising at least one decorative sticker connected to a surface of the body.

## Claim 13. (Canceled)

Claim 14. (Currently Amended) A toy pet box comprising:

a) a body having:

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- i) an enclosed transparent outer shell;
- ii) a hollow interior for holding water;
- iii) a water inlet located on an outer surface of the transparent shell and communicating with the hollow interior;
- iv) a sealing cap removably connected to and sealing the water inlet; and
- v) a carrying handle connected thereto; and
- 10 b) at least one expandable toy located in the hollow interior and expandable therein from an original size to an expanded size when water is placed in the hollow interior: interior; and
  - c) at least one ornament connected to and protruding upwardly from an interior surface of a bottom of the body, the at least one ornament being spaced apart from side surfaces of the body.

Claim 15. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 14, wherein each of the at least one expandable toy is connected to a surface of the hollow interior of the body.

Claim 16. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 14, wherein each of the at least one expandable toy is detached from surfaces of the hollow interior of the body.

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Claim 17. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 14, wherein each of the at least one expandable toy includes a weight located at a predetermined location.

Claim 18. (Previously Presented) The toy pet box according to claim 14, further comprising at least one decorative sticker connected to a surface of the body.

Claim 19. (Canceled)